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For: A HIGHLY COMPONENTIZED SYSTEM  
ARCHITECTURE WITH DEMAND-LOADING  
NAMESPACE AND PROGRAMMING MODEL

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENTS

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 1 and 22.

Replace claims 2, 3, 23 and 24 as follows:

B 2. The method of Claim 3 wherein said demand-loadable components are initially provided in one of:

- (a) a memory within said computer;
- (b) a location external of said computer.